

Marshfield Energy and Climate Change Committee
Plainfield Energy Group
Notes of Meeting on July 1, 2013

Attending: Rich Phillips, Nick Seifert, John Morris, Wes Cate, Joel Trupin, Anne Miller

Convene: 7:10 PM

Adjourn: 8:15 PM

Business:

1. Approved the notes of the 5/6, 6/3 and 6/18 (weatherization subcommittee) meetings.
2. Rich will let the people where we did energy home visits about the additional \$500 grant for improvements completed by the end of August.
3. Rich will work with Dan to see if we can get money to provide free energy audits. The weatherization committee believes the free audits will get a few more people to get going.
4. Nick is working on a weatherization handout to use at gatherings this summer including the bandstand.
5. The weatherization subcommittee has plans to visit several groups this summer to promote the energy home visits—see the notes of the 6/18/13 meeting.
6. The solar subcommittee reported one or two groups are continuing to pursue the potential group systems. Subsequent to the meeting the subcommittee met and decided to sponsor another event for people interested in pursuing group solar.
7. The materials and installation of the hardware cloth on the trackers is decided and Rich/John will install it.
8. PACE is activating with the first \$1M pledged by a bank. We need to finish up the administrative documents to become a participating municipality. Rich will get the document package we need and Nick/Rich will follow through with the Selectboard. The first subscription period begins 9/1/13. We need to get enrolled by 8/26 to have homeowners be able to submit their preapplications in the first round.
9. The group decided not to have a full committee meeting in August. The subcommittees will meet as necessary during August.